

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
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**TO:** Honorable Pete Gallego, Chair, House Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence

**FROM:** John S O'Brien, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE: SB1680** by Ellis (Relating to certain evidence in a prosecution of fraud or theft involving Medicaid or Medicare benefits and to certain criminal procedures involving offenses in general.), **As Engrossed**

<b>No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.</b>
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The bill would amend portions of the Code of Criminal Procedure relating to certain evidence in a prosecution of fraud or theft involving Medicaid or Medicare benefits, including general procedures in the taking of depositions and discovery. To the extent the bill would amend court procedures, no significant impact on judicial workloads or fiscal implication to the state is anticipated. The bill would take effect September 1, 2011.

**Local Government Impact**

No significant fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

**Source Agencies:** 212 Office of Court Administration, Texas Judicial Council

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